## BEFORE

## THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

## SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 96-171-C - ORDER NO. 96-471



JULY 11, 1996

IN RE: Request of MCI Telecommunications Corp. to
Require South Carolina Local Exchange
Companies to Immediately file with the
Commission and make Public all their
Interconnection Agreements with all other
Carriers.

ORDER
IN
ABEYANCE

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) on the May 24, 1996 Request by MCI Telecommunications, Corp. (MCI or the Company) that this Commission require various Local Exchange Companies (LEC's) to file with the Commission and make public all interconnection agreements and arrangements that they have entered into with other carriers, pursuant to Section 252 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-9-290.

The Commission has considered this matter and states that since the Federal Communication Commission (FCC) is expected to render a decision concerning this matter on or about August 8, 1996, we believe that any decision by us should be held in abeyance

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until after that decision is rendered. This is consistent with our recent decision in Docket No. 96-093-C.

This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director

(SEAL)